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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: 15 Dec. ARGO Committee Meeting

The undersigned met with [] Chairman of the ARGO Committee, on 28 Nov. to discuss possible agenda items for the 15 Dec. meeting.

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The four topics presented to [] were:

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a. Explore the possibility of NASA indexing the ERTS imagery by WAC or WAG cell. This would standardize the indexing of all material (both classified and unclassified) and permit rapid access to either product by all interested parties.

b. Review and update civil agency requirements in light of the ERTS material. The object here is to identify the functions or operations ERTS data meets fully, those which require ERTS plus classified photography, those which only classified photography will suffice, and those which require data beyond the capabilities of today's systems.

c. Study of civil requirements against automated collection systems (using the ERTS and NRP systems as a base line) and manned systems.

d. Briefing by EPA and OCE on the Autometric contract.

[] accepted these suggestions but thought that OMB [] should brief the committee on the studies OMB is conducting to consolidate all civil mapping into a single agency and to eliminate ERTS B

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based on expanded use of the KH-4 [redacted]
[redacted] in order to set the stage for
the ARGO studies.

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